

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

SCOTT JACOBS, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

Civil No. 24-cv-10941
Hon. Matthew F. Leitman

v.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY,

Defendants.

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**ORDER TERMINATING DEFENDANT’S MOTIONS TO DISMISS AND
TO COMPEL ARBITRATION WITHOUT PREJUDICE (ECF Nos. 33, 34)**

On April 18, 2025, the Court held an on-the-record status conference with counsel for all parties to discuss two motions that Defendant Ford Motor Company has filed: (1) a motion to compel certain Plaintiffs to arbitrate their claims (ECF No. 33) and (2) a motion to dismiss (ECF No. 34). For the reasons explained on the record during the status conference, the motions are **TERMINATED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**. Plaintiffs shall collect their vehicle sales contracts and provide the contracts to Ford. Once Plaintiffs have done so, they shall file a notice on the docket that the contracts have been so provided. Ford shall then have 30 days to file a motion to compel arbitration and/or to dismiss based on the arbitration provisions in the vehicle sales contracts. Plaintiffs shall have 30 days to file a response to Ford’s motion, and Ford shall have 15 days to file a reply. If, after the Court resolves Ford’s

motion, there are any remaining Plaintiffs in this action who have not been compelled to arbitrate their claims, Ford may file a motion under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b)(6) to dismiss any claims brought by those remaining Plaintiffs within 21 days of the Court's order on Ford's arbitration motion.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/Matthew F. Leitman

MATTHEW F. LEITMAN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated: April 18, 2025

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document was served upon the parties and/or counsel of record on April 18, 2025, by electronic means and/or ordinary mail.

s/Holly A. Ryan

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